



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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In re application of:

John Albert Hockman

Batch No.: N/A : Group Art Unit: 1731

Application No.: 09/878,658 : Examiner: James H. Derrington

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For: METHOD OF REDUCING VOLATILIZATION FROM AND INCREASING
HOMOGENEITY IN GLASS

Assistant Commissioner for Patents

Washington, D.C. 20231

Amendment Pursuant to 37 CFR § 1.111 and
Reconsideration Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 X

Sir:

This amendment and accompanying remarks are in response to the office action dated 5/20/03 in which Examiner rejected Claims 1 and 4-6. Applicant respectfully requests Examiner to reconsider the rejections in view of the Amendments and accompanying remarks and to enter a Notice of Allowance.

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